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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT

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Dear Examiner DeCloux:

RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

This is in response to the October 02, 2002 Restriction Requirement in the above-identified application. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the present Application in view of the following response. It is believed that no fees are required. However, if any fees are required in order to maintain the pendency of the instant application, the Examiner is expressly authorized to charge such to our Deposit Account No. 50-1169.